Corset News for

Satisfactory

they buy

Early July Days.

needed right now if it's needed any

time this summer, and here's a few

with steel, for 50c, is the ig test

weight and daintiest garment of the

Anoth rica horwei ht sour staigh Front Bat to for 50c. It's also boned with see. Nice display of them in the windows

If you want a particularly good

shirt waist corset, our Royal Wor-

cester Linen Tape, for \$1.00 is just

what you need. Look at it to-mor-

For Ladies and Children.

A few suggestions this morning

for people who are particular about

the kind of hot weather underwear

Lautes' low neck and sleeveless Vests for 7c.

Ladies' tape neck and arm Vests, 10c. Ladies' Lis'e Finish Vests, low neck

Ladies' Summer Ribbed Pants.

Ladies' Ribbed Union Suits, low neck and sleeveless um rela pants, 50c and \$1.00.

Children's low neck and sleeveless

Ribbed Vests, taped neck and arms, 10c.

Children's and Misses' low neck

Infants' plain woven, low Leck and sleeven ss Vests, 121/2c.

Infants' low neck and sleaveless Wra, p. r.s., 25c.

Ribbed Draw is Bodies, for girls and boys, E.Z. and N. zarach styles, 15c and 25c.

We have a few sets left of the

Alhambra Elue Dinner Sets, con-

taining 100 pieces. Fine English

ware, you know. Very pretty with

their scenic decorations and easily

Friday we'll price them at \$10.00

Anoth r Dinner Set, worth \$27.00,

containing 102 pieces and all of them extra large sizes, we offer for \$22.50. Coundn't do it, though, if there wasn't a sight soortage in the number of inaividual butter plates. Entire set is richly decorated.

Nine and ten inches are good

Friday for 121/2c each. Actually

worth from \$2.50 to \$3.00 per dozen.

Twenty-five of 'em, all full size and full value, to). Suitable eith r for your summer cottage or your city house—

Trunks for Vacation Trips.

Fine Mattings Sold at Cost.

Any plece of Marting less than the riginal roll we will sell you at just

what it cost us.

It'll pay you to buy them now and keep them until next summer if not

needed at present.

You'll travel in a more contented

for \$1.10.

the China Section.

finish and lace trimmed, 25c.

July News from

worth \$15.00 each.

Nicely decorated.

until they're all sold.

Children's Underwear.

plain and lace trimmed, 25c and 50c.

Summer Underwear

kind you ever wore. Everyboay

that can't be excelled in the city.

Weather Forecast. - Friday, fair. Ight to fresh north winds.

Early Closing Hours.

Our store closes daily at 6 P. M.; Saturdays, 7 P. M.

FRIDAY—REWNANT DAY

Back again this week to the regular remnant day and it has greater possibilities in it for you than ever, as the coming of mid-summer marks a period of restlessness in a Much Business Disposed of at First

Planning for the fall season necessitates changes in our store arrangements. Summer goods must be gotten out of the way to make room for new stocks. Naturally something must find its way to the underprice tables, and from now on you'll find Friday a better day than ever to shop at Miller & Rhoads'.

Remnant Day in the Summer Wash Goods Section.

Last week we had an unusually busy remnant day, even for this department. Richmond people know exactly what to expect here on a clearing-up sale.

This week is just as brimful of price economies as last week.

Remnants of Wash and

White Goods at Half Prices Wash Goods and White Goods remnants-in fact, everything bearing a remnant ticket, from the lowest to the highest price goods, to be sold Friday at ha f price.

Domestics.

61/4c Unbleached Jeans, in a fine

Bleached Cotton, 36 inches wide,

Heavy Jeans, bleached, for 81/3c. 121/2c Pillow Cases, good size,

Lining Remnants at Half Prices

Percaline, Silesias. Cambrics and Mercerized Italians, black and colors, at half of regular marked enthuses over them, and no wonder. prices for Friday's sale.

Wash Goods.

5c Scotch Lawns, good styles,

81/3c Laurel Lawns, polka dots,

10c Batiste, white grounds with

black figures, for 7c. 39c Mercerized Madras, for 12½c.

Some Unusual Things in the Remnant News To-day.

Maybe you'll wonder a little why we price these things so low when we could get more. We are satisfied, though, and so will you be when you examine them.

Embroideries, veilings, fans, ribbons, hosiery, toilet articles, etc., in the list below.

500 pieces Nainsook Edges and Insertings, in match sets, 41/2 yard lengths, slightly soiled, but worth up to 39c yard-sale 41/2 yard piece,

100 pieces Cotton Galloons, in white, butt r and Arabian, worth up to 12½c yard, sale 5c yard.

5 0 Sp nish Fans, in "high art" decorations, the regular 25c kind, for 10c each.

1,000 remnants of "up-to-date" Veilings, all the new combinations, worth regularly from 25c to 50c yard—sale 15c.

500 dozen Swiss Embroidered Handerchiefs, very sheer, te uiar price 12½c, now 5c.

Nos. 5, 7 and 9 Doub'e-face1 Satin Ribbon, in all the best shades, 5c yard. Double Liberty and Satin Taffeta Ribbon, $3l_2$ inches wide, all shades, best quality, $15c\ yard$.

Garwood's highly perfumed Talcum Powder, 5c box.

Armour's "Fine Art" Toilet Soap, the purest made, box of 3 cakes 15c. Bailey's Celebrated Talcum Powder,

solutely pure and violet perfumed, 10c box. Burnham's Beef, Iron and Wine,

1 pint size, equal to the best, 29c bottle.

Ladies' Lace Lisle Hose, dropped to toe, all sizes, slightly imperfect, 17c

Infants' Plain and Lace Socks, in black and white, all sizes, 15c pair.

Odds and Ends in the Ready-Made Garment Section. We just put aside all thought on remnant day of what these garments

cost us. Their companions have all found places in Richmond wardrobes earlier in the season.

You can purchase the same things now for about one-half their value and original price.

4 Silk Foulard Suits, in nice colorings of blue and green, tucked waists, flounced skirts, were \$16.50, for \$10.00.

4 dozen Lawn Wrappers, with deep flounce, braid trimmed, worth 89c, for

6 gray and blue Stitched Bottom Walk-Skirts, were \$3.98 and \$4.69, for \$2.98.

11 Colored Wool Dress Skirts, trim-med in silk bands, were \$2.98, for \$1.09. 3 dozen Duck and Covert Cloth Skirts, braid trimmed, were 89c, for 48c.

The Silk and Dress Goods

Remnants of Silks,

Friday in the

Underwear.

each.

5 dozen Polka Det Duck and Flounced Covert Cloth Skirts, were \$1.25, for 69c.

Remnants of Black Dress Goods,

Remnants of Colored Dress Goods,

together with hundreds of odd pieces

from this section, attractively dis-

played and grouped, at remarkably

Muslin Underwear Dept.

The summer is getting well on

toward its turning point and conse-

quently it brings round with it the

price advantages to those who have

waited until now to purchase Muslin

We have placed together in

one lot a broken assortment of

sizes in slightly soiled Gowns,

Corset Covers, Chemise and

Skirts that we will offer for 50c

Children's Drawers, all sizes, 10c.

low prices for Friday's selling.

Counters Have

8 White China Silk Waists that will wash, slightly soile, were \$3.48, for \$1.98.

12 black and colored Taffeta and China Silk Waists, that were \$3.98 and \$2.98, for \$1.50.

2 dozen Col red Shirt Waist ade with flounced skirts, worth \$1.69,

9 blue and gray All-Wool Tucked Skirts, trimmed with taffeta bands, were \$6.48, for \$3.98.

6 gray unlined Mohair Skirts, trimmed in si.k bands, were \$5.00, for \$2.98. 6 dozen Col red Percale Waists, were

A \$1.25 Covered Dish for 59c. Engish China, in assorted shapes and decorations. They're bargains at 59c. Corset Covers. Extra large and deep 10-inch Glass Bow.s, 29c eich.

Full size Tumblers, only 69c per dozen. Fine thing for iced tea. Just about heavy enough for this

Drawers of cambric, with hemstitched ruffle and tucks, 39c.

Skirts.

Long Skirts of cambric, with tucked insertion and lace, with dust ruffle, \$1.00. cambric ruffle, trimmed with torchon

Remnants in the Drapery Dept.

Three pieces each of blue, pink and yellow bordered Cultain Muslin, that have been 15c yard, now 10c. These colors will hold.

and Muslins, for 5c.

Muslin Curtains, 31/2 yards long, specially priced at 98c per pair.

15c Fire Screens for 8c.

Nice cambric, full front, low neck and trimmed with embroidery, 19c. Fine cambric, full front, trimmed with torchon lace, 39c.

Good qua ity nainsook, full front, low neck and trimmed with Val. lace, hiser-tion and ribbon, 50c. purpose.

4-gallon Stone Cooler, \$1.50. \$1.50 White Bed Spreads

Skirt of cambric, with hemstitch d cambric ruffle, price 50c.

frame of mind if you know your wardrote is secure inside one of our fine trunks. Priced as low as \$1.98, and from 121/2c and 15c Silkolines, Cretons that up to \$20.00.

Fine Window Shades for 25c, reduced from 50c.

PRESENT OFFICERS TO SERVE AGAIN

Elections Held at Joint Session of Manchester Council.

STREET COMMITTEE IS BUSY

Session - A Poor Girl Betriended. Personal and Other

Manchester Bureau, Richmond Times,

1102 Hull Street.

Nireleen out of twenty members of the Manchester Council met last night and A comfortably cool co set is leeded right now if it's needed any ime this summer, and here's a few hat can't be excelled in the city.

Our Girdle Corset of tape, boned with steel, for 50c, is the ig test.

elected city officials for the next term. To first election was that of City Auditor John W. Hall. Mr. W. B. Bradley for John W. Hall. Mr. W. B. Bra elected city officials for the next term

When the election of police commis-icreis was reached there was discussion at length as to how they should be nom-led d. There being three Assemblymen and don't two Aldermen from each ward, t was intimated that the Assemblymen would have power to put in whoever they pleased and could outvote the Aldermen. To save confusion, a recess of tive min-utes was taken to allow the members from each ward to get togethe, and de-cide upon the person they wanted. After the recess the wards were called out and the following gentiemen elected: First Ward, Waverly Nunnally; Second Ward A. L. Sampson; Third Ward, J. T. Abbott: Fourth Ward, W. D. Ferguson. The Mayof is chairman of the commissioners and has called a meeting for to-morrow

Air. J. S. Wakefield having been elected thairman of the Assembly, necessarily makes him a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners, and he being already Fire Commissioners, and he being already a member, the latter position had to be filled. Mr. J. B. Rudd was ejected to fill the unexpired term. A vacancy in the commission from the Second Ward, extsed by Mr. J. G. Saunders' election as City Sergeant, was filled by the election of Mr. C. L. Pettit. Mr. Sampson, from the Second Ward, placed Mr. Tillery in remnation, while Mr. Ferguson, of the Fourth Ward, placed in nomination for Mr. Fahr, who could not be present, Mr. C. L. Pettit. By a vote of 14 to 3 the " .L. Pettit. By a vote of 14 to 3 the latter was elected. The meeting being salled for the specific work of electing officers, there was no other business ransacted.

STREET COMITTEES.
In the Major's office last night, members of the Street Committee holding their first meeting, transacted business of an important nature. Mr. J. W. Barratt afforded amusement

for the sleepy members by his witty say-ings, just at the proper time. The first business before the body was a petition from Mr. C. B. Buchanan, superintenand sleeveless Lisle Vest, plain taped dent of the Virginia Passenger and Power Company, Manchester division asking that his company be allowed to move the switch now at the crossing of the Atlantic Coast Line on Hull Street down towards Cowardin Avenue one square.

The company wanted to put down a

single track girder rail in the block they asked to be made a single instead of

Their reason for asking the change was that it afforded them better facilities for placing cars on the Hull Street line, and at the same time did away with one block of unnecessary track. Mr. Barrett was in favor of allowing the company to change the track, and claimed that it would be for the best of the city, certainly for the best interests of residents of Swansbore. lengthy discussion the application was re-jected with only two members voting for it.

A petition from Messrs, Woodward & Sons, asking that they be allowed place about six feet of terra cot pipe near the yard on Fourth Street, was granted, though fought vigorously by Mr. L. B. Tillery. An application of the same firm for the privilege of placing carriage ways into their yards at their expense was granted.

WORK ON STREETS.

City Engineer Lipscomb made a resizes for Dinner Plates. We have port about work being done at the di-12 dozen of them, in the finest rection of the Street Committee, The work on Thirteenth Street will begin Monday next. Work on Twelfth Street, quality of china, that we'll sell on between Bainbridge and Porter Streets had been stopped after the street had been torn up. The contractor, who was to have completed the work, could not get the kind of brick the committee spe-cified he should use, and therefore had to wait. Because there would be a delay, brick costing ten cents more per square foot was recommended. After some dis-cussion among members it was decided to wait until the Manchester brick, which nly costs 56 cents per square foot, can be

> Contract work for the next quarter was Contract work for the next quarter was taken up, and there being bids for black-smithing from Messrs. W. L. Alley and John E. Gill, both amounting to the same, the work was ordered to be divided between them. Mr. R. C. Broaddus was awarded the contract for feed.
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> A SEVERE STORM.
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> Hail fell in Manchester yesterday in large lumps, distinctly discernable to pedestrains. Immediately following the bail and rain, there was a hurricane of

hail and rain there was a hurricane of wind, which proved more destructive than any for years past. Trees were torn up and some houses damaged. Forest Hill presents a terrible sight. The large shade trees around the pavil-

lion were badly broken up. Several new buildings incourse of erection on Semmes Avenue were moved from their foundation, causing extra labor and expenditure of money to put them back. Several trees at Fonticello lie as silent testimony of the result of the wind. Manchester suffered a loss of many of its prettiest shade trees, while roofs of some homes

were removed.

The tin roof of the Wood Working Company on the A. C. L. Railroad was removed by the storm, entailing a damage to lumber, which has just been made into designs, of something over \$1. 000. Mr. T. H. Betty, manager of the company, who lives in the city, says the roof was torn as nicely off, as though some one had done it with an axe. There were several men working in the place at the time, but no one was hurt. There is only a slight insurance in a policy covering this kind of damage. The very finest material had been stored in the upper floor of the building and the wind taking away the tin roof let the water down upon the work in torrents. CAME TO HER RESCUE.

All the poverty of wrecked home, all the misery of a dutiful yet patient girl. all the fortitude of a loving, Christian spirit was pictured in the face of a four-teen-year-old girl yesterday afternoon, when she was caught in the severe rain storm just as she was trudging to her home across the river, having been la-boring in a stifling factory through the day. With not enough money to pay car fare, and thinly clad, with no pro-tection from the angry clouds which at the time seemed to have suddenly opened

and turned to mother earth a supply of water held there for months, the little girl had started to her home in Manchester when the rain overtook her.

It poured down in torrents, while every second the wind increased into such a gale that the girl, having wasted her strength in hattling with it, suddenly lost her hold on the west railing of the heider and was blown, across nearly to lost her hold on the west ralling of the bridge and was blown across nearly to the other side. She was slightly bruised and nearly unconscious when a passenger on a car took in the situation, and, springing off, heedless of a nice white straw hat, took the girl in his arms and placed her on the front seat, where she was sheltered from the rain and storm. The girl was not hurt by her fall. She said she had started to her home, and did not think the rain would overtake her. Even if it did she did not care very much about it. But when the wind and

The child told a sad story of having a father who persisted in drinking, while she and her still smaller sister supported the family. Thanking the gentleman for he kindness he had shown her. the kindness he had shown let. We as smile, though there was a suspicious moisture around her eyes, she left the car near her home. She would not tell her name, only saving she was a poor girl, but did not mind working.

SIXTY DAYS FOR FRENCH.

John E. French, for creating a disturbance and abusing Mrs. Saunders, wife of City Sergeant J. G. Saunders, was yesterday sentenced by Squire Jordan to spend sixty days in jail. Counsel for the defense made the plea, and there was no evidence taken in the case.

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French has suddenly been brought before the public by his alleged abuse of Mrs Saunders and his conduct at the hous on two occasions. The last offense, upon which he was given thiry days in jail occurred while he was out on bail for the first one, and the question of whether his bondsmen will have to pay the \$250 bond, which is declared forfeited, has been raised by counsel. Commonwealth's Attorney C. L. Page thinks they will have it to pay, while counsel for the defense, Messrs. E. H. Wells and George D. Wise, maintain that when the recognizance was taken it did not specify anything about keeping the peace, only stating that they would be responsible for his appearance. As he did appear at the proper time they claim they have carried out the bond.

DEFACING PROPERTY.

Mischlevous boys have started a habit which if continued, will result in the

effective cure. SUNDAY-SCHOOL MEETING.

prayer; 3. song Sweet Story of Old. primary department; 4, reports from all the schools; 5. duet. My Faith Locks Un to Thee, Miss Ellington and Mr. Mitchell; 6 address, Dr. John Hannen; 7. sond, Forward In His Name. No. 34 Young People's Hymnal; 8. other addresses; 9 collection; 10, song, Marching To the Land Above, No. 168 Young People's Hymnal, school; 11, benediction. Hymnal, school; II, benediction. PERSONALS AND BRIEFS.

resterday that should delinquents fail to yesterday that should definitely state to secure their licenses by the ending of this week, there will be some talking lone before the court which meets Monday next. Now, there may be trouble thead for some who have been derelect in this duty, and to save this the best ordice is to nay up.

Miss Fannie and Master Willie Hol-land, of Newbern, N. C., are visiting the family of Mr. R. C. Broaddus, No. 118 Forter Street.

Four children of Mr. Charles Walke,

Street, last evening during the storm. falling directly across the palings into the front yard. No damage was done Mrs. M. G. Tatum was reported last

hight to be in a most critical condition. Miss Grace Kohlhousen, of East Radford, who has been the charming guest of Miss Beal Fahr, on Porter Street, will return home to-day. 'Phone connection between Richmond

and Manchester last night was nearly a complete failure. The storm had so complete failure. The storm had so wisted and disarranged the wires as to make them unfit for use. The Ladies' Aid Society of Cowardin-

Avenue Church will give a lawn party on the church lawn next Monday from 6:39 to 11 P. M.

Veteran Association Arranging for Celebration-Want Old Name.

fect arrangements for the celebration of Friday next. Messrs. A Jeff Vaughan. Thomas J. Robertson, W. U. Bass, Leigh M. Blanton, and C. T. Loehr were appointed as the committee to arrange for

Colonel Palmer told of his conversation with General Lee when it was suggested that the regiment be suspended because of its thin ranks, and of the General's tribute to the gallant organization. The committee was continued and an appeal will be made to the Governor to restore the name.

A report was made that the roll of the old First will be recorded in the Hustings The members who died during the year were James O'Keefe, S. P. Hud-gins, W. T. Pumphrey, C. Buchanan, James T. Vaughan, and A. W. Archer. The present officers were re-elected. Colonel Palmer, the president, occupied the chair at the meeting, secretary C. T. Loehr was at his desk, and the others present were: Major B. F. Howard, Lieutenant S. W. Martin, Logan S. Robins, H. W. Furcron, W. U. Bass, T. J. Robertson, and E. Leslie Spence.

DANVILLE CONFORMS

New Constitution.

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
DANVILLE, VA., July 19.—The new
Constitution went into effect here at
noon to-day. Free passes in the hands
of city officials were returned. The
judge of the Corporation Court, the
Navor the policy officers the Commis-Mayor, the police officers, the Commissioner of Reveune and one magistrate took the new oath to be on the safe side.

Members of the City Council, acting under advice from Hon Eugene Withers and Judge Berryman Green, members of the Constitutional Convention, did not subscribe to the oath.

THE CENTENNIAL OF OLD SALEM CHURCH

Edifice Associated With Growth of the Baptist Denomination.

Andrew Broaddus, Grandfather, Father and Son, Have Been in Charge Since 1824-Interesting Exercises.

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., July 10 -

tists of Caroline county. The centennial of Salem Baptist Church at Sparta in that county was celebrated with an extensive programme, beginning at 11 o clock and lasting throughout the day with a recess for dinner. This occasion has long been looked forward to with meterst and drew to the historic church to-day an immense throng of people from various section, of this State as well as from many points outside of Virginia. People commenced to arrive on yesterday and throughout the early morning of to-day they came in large numbers from ever direction and called into service every means of transporta-

Sparta is ten miles from the nearest rational station and still farther from the steamboat wharves and that portion of the country was taxed to its ut-most to transport those who came by steamers and railroads from the nearest stations and wharves. In the gathering were representatives from this city. Richmond, al. sections of Caroline coun-ty and from many portions of the sur-counding counties of Essex, King and queen, Middlesex, King William, Spots-sylvania, Louisa and Hanover counties, the Northern Neck and descendants of the Broaddus family from Illinois were also in attendance.

REMARKABLE HISTORY.

This church, which has a remarkaable record, was organized in 1892, its first pastor being Rey. Theoderick Noel. He was succeeded by Rey. John Sorrell, who served the church until 1823. In 1824 Rey. Andrew Broaddus the first became the pastor and since that time the church has been served by only three different pastors, all three bearing the name of Andrew Broaddus. Andrew Broaddus the first continued as pastor until his death in 1843 and was succeeded by his son, Andrew Broaddus the second, who was the active and beloved pastor for forty-eight years retiring on pastor for forty-eight years retiring on account of ill health in 1896, when his son, Andrew Broaddus, the third, was and to the pastorate of the church. The latter is now the able popular pas-

Broaddus; present membership 240; *on ir Autions during the past twelve months \$1,400.

THE EXERCISES.

The programme of the exercises commenced at 11 o'clock, opening with a song by congregation and followed by an invocation by Rev. H. A. Willis, of Hanover county. This was followed by more music, Scripture reading by Rev. Dr. John Pollard, of Bowling Green, and praying the Pay Tor H. L. Green, and praying the Pay Tor H. L. Green,

ent day, was delivered by Rev. Andrew Broaddus, the pastor. The sketch spoke tenderly of the former pastors and of many prominent laymen who had rerved

tenderly of the former pastors and of many prominent laymen who had rerved faithfully in the past, recited the marriages and deaths which had taken place at different times at the church, the changing personnel of the congregations throughout all the different years of the century just passed and leading up to the present time, and showing the church to be larger and stronger than ever before, with a bright and prosperous future before it.

The cattire delivery of the interesting address was listened to with the most intense interest by the great crowd, in which were descendants of many of those who had been prominent in the affairs of the church and were alluded to m touching terms.

DR. HATCHER'S ADDRESS.
Rev. W. T. Hundley, of Barton Heights, rendered a cornet solo, which was highly enjoyed, and Rev. Dr. W. E. Hatcher, of Bichmond, then delivered a very interesting address on the subject. The Vaine of the Local Church." Dr. Hatcher is extended to be a constant of the cose attention of any audience he appears before. After more music the unveiling of the portraits of Rev. Andrew Broaddus the first and Rev. Andrew Broaddus the second took place, and an Pendleton. appears before. After more music the unveiling of the portraits of Rev. Andrew Broaddus the first and Rev. Andrew Broaddus the second took place, and an able address was delivered by Rev. F. B. Beale, of King and Queen county, giving a biographical sketch of both of the revised preachers now passed away. The portrait of Andrew Broaddus the first was presented to the church by Mrs. Bettie: C. Broaddus, of Baltimore Md., and the one of Andrew Broaddus, the secand the one of Andrew Broaddus, the sec-onal was presented by Mr. John W. Sale, of Richmond. Va. These portraits will adorn the walls of the church. After the edorn the walls of the church. After the benediction by Rev. Norman Luck, of Ersex, a recess was taken for dinner. On long lines of tables and on others acattered at convenient points under the stade of the trees about the church was aread a feast which only good house

and the social feature of the dinner hour has well as the different viands.

THE AFTERNOON.

At 2:50 P. M. the exercises were resumed, pering with music, followed by prayer by Rev. Dr. Julian Broaddus, of Berryville, brother of the pastor, and followed by another cornet solo by Rev. W. T. Hundley, Rev. Dr. George W. Beale, of Heathsville, Northumberland county, president of the General Baptist Associthe definition, one of the most prominent and beloved Baptist ministers of the State, delivered a highly interesting address on the Baptists and Religious Liberty

Dr. Beale is not only a polished gentle-man, but a man of high scholarly at-tainments, and any paper prepared by him

county. After a time spent in social in-tercourse by friends who had not seen each other for a long time, the large rathering dispersed and the people left for their homes at various points.

LEATE LEALING LIGHTNING

Horses and Cattle Killed in Washington

(Special Dispatch to The Times.)
ABINGDON, VA., July 10.—For several days in succession for a short while each day storms have raged in the county a few miles south of this town, doing THREE PASTORS SAME NAME damage to woodland, crops and live

> D. F. Berry had steers killed by light-ning, S. W. Aven, one mule killed and a horse crippled; M. A. Hope, one steer killed, and W. R. Brown, one horse killed, besides other losses.

Considerable excitement has manifested itself this morning over the free pass prohibition in the new Constitution. which took effect at noon, resulting in the resignation of quite a number of county and municipal officials, passes over railroads being preferable to offices.

RANGER ORDERED TO DAVID

Gone to Protect American Interests in View of Belligerent Expedition.

(By Associated Press.)
WASHINGTON. July 10 —Secretary
Moody has cabled to the captain of the
United States steamship Ranger, stationed at Panama, as follows:
"Confer with Consul-General. Then
proceed to David to investigate and retime to Panama."

turn to Panama." This action was taken because of advices that a body of Colombians had joined a force of Nicaraguan insurgents

David preparatory to starting upo-

VICTIM OF THE HEAT

Aged Mail Carrier Stricken Down on His Route.

Mr John H. Nagle, one of the oldest carriers in the Richmond postoffice, was overcome by heat yesterday while on cal aid could reach him. Mr. Nagle was near sixty years of age.

and for eighteen years had been in the em-ploy of the government as mail carrier and collector of the Richmond offic He was a Union soldier, and came South soon after the civil war. Several years ago his wife died, and since he had lived alone, rooming in different parts of the city.

He had occupied a room at the St.

Claire for eight months, and was there

well known and respected.

For some time past he had been a collector in the central part of the city, and was yesterday morning on his route when taken ill, presumably from the in-He was assisted to the office and from

there taken to his room about 1:50 o'clock. In fifteen minutes, before a physician could be summoned, the end came. Cor-cher Taylor was called, and viewing the mains said his death was due t estration, which directly affected the

to the undertaking rooms of J. W. tey. The funeral arrangements will be determined upon to-day.

JUDGE LAMB'S SUCCESSOR

Short Session of Legislature Will Not Elect Him.

It seems to be the better opinion a It seems to be the better opinion among lawyers that the July session of the Legislature will not choose a successor to Judge James C. Lamb, who will shortly tender his resignation to take effect on the first day of the October term of the Chancery Court, over which he has presided so long and so ably. It is held that there can be no vacancy until the resignation takes effect, and that the body will hardly elect a judge until the body will hardly elect a judge until the place he is designed to fill shall have be-come vacant. It seems altogether prob-able that an appointment will have to be

VATICAN'S REPLY

Secretary Root Will Submit it to President at Oyster Bay.

(Br associated Press.)
WASHINGTON, July 10.—A cablegram has been received at the War Departhas been received at the War Department from Governor Taft, transmitting the reply of the Vatican to the proposals of the United States Government.

Secretary Root will take a copy of the Vatican's reply to Oyster Bay and submit it to the President before making any definite reply. The secretary says it is a plain business proposition which is under negotiation, based entirely upon the der negotiation, based entirely upon the instructions given to Governor Taft be-fore his departure to Rome.

PLANNING A SURPRISE

Mine Workers Say They Will Have Big Rally on 17th.

(By Associated Press.)

ROANOKE, VA. July 10.—The latest reports from the coal fields show: a steady but slow resumption of business. The Tug River field put 150 more miners

The Tug rates have here but to work to-day.

Word comes from Bluefield that the mine workers are preparing to surprise the operators on the 17th. It is said they have allowed a number of union men to go to work so that when a rally is made there will be quite a large number to come out.

Alabama Newspaper Men. (By Associated Press.) NORFOLK, VA., July 10.—The mem-

bers of the Alabama Press Association, with ladies numbering 100, arrived here this morning over the Seaboard Air Line and were met by President Lancaster Williams, of the combined street railways and a large party of citizens and newspaper men and by the directors of the Jamestown Exposition Company.

A trip over the entire system, taking in the Newport News shipyard, where Superintendent Post took the party in charge, Fort Monroe and Ocean View, where dinner was served and speeches by the Baptists along mission lines and printed out where much more could be accomplished for mission work.

The interesting accasion was brought to a close by the banediction, pronounced by Rev. J. T. Haley, of King William er for Boston to-night.

We are closing out a fine lot of Ventilating Corsets at 50c.

Secured-To Have Two Courses The announcement was made yesterday by Dr. F. W. Boatwright, president of

THE THOMAS LECTURES

one in the autumn of this year and another in the spring of the next. The latter series will be on the subject "Philosophy" and will be delivered by some distinguished scholar who has yet to be secured. It is understood that the college now has a well-known man "on the string" but cannot as yet say nos-Distinguished Sculptor and Art Student Richmond College, that Lorado 1211, the distinguished sculptor and art student, has been secured to deliver the first course of the Thomas lectures at Richmond College next fall.

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of the Chicago Art Institute and is professor of art in the Chicago University.
As a sculptor he has won fame. Many statues in Chicago and in different parts of the United States attest his merit.

fion next session will include two courses jects: First, "American Sculpture;" —one in the autumn of this year and another in the spring of the next. The lecturer, Dr. Taft, is widely known latter series will be on the subject inroughout the country. He is director

Ladies' Lisle Thr ad Vests, in plain and fancy weave, 25c.

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carried out the bond.

DEFACING PROPERTY.

Mischlevous boys have started a habit which, if continued, will result in the last, one of them being taken to Police Court in double quick time. At night a crowd congregates on the corner of Fourteenth and Perry, and deface the pretty new Catholic Church situated there. There has been a lot of writing in the sides of the edifice and glasses have been broken by stones. This will not do. Boys can be mischievous and will enjoy themselves in a boy's own occuliar way, yet this defacing of places of wership is something which cannot be attributed to mischievousness. It is pure and simple meanness, which will have to be beaten out of them. The police will try the remedy of extracting money from This negative is a very fry the remedy of extracting money from their parents. This usually is a very

SUNDAY-SCHOOL MEETING.
Christian Sunday-School Association
of Richmond and Manchester meets at
Cowardin-Avenue Church on Sunday 3:3
P.M. An elaborate programme has beer

1, song, Onward, Christian Soldiers, Ne 10, Young People's Hymnal, school; 2 orayer; 3, song Sweet Story of Old, pri

who have been sick with whooping cough, are reported to be much better, Mr. C. W. McCann, of Manchester, re-ceived a telegram from Petersburg Wed-

nesday announcing the death of his sis-ter. Mrs. John Myers, of that city. A tree was blown down in front of the home of Mrs. Anderson, at 1212 Porter

OLD FIRST REUNION

The survivors of the old First Virginia Regiment held a meeting at the City Bank last night to elect officers and per-

An interesting report was made by the committee appointed to urge that the old name of the regiment be restored.

City Officials Take the Oath Under the

Dr. Hatcher's Fine Address.

This was a great day with the Bap-

or and as he is in fine health and under tor and as he is in fine health and under aftry years of age, he bids fair to equal, if not surpass, the remarkable records of his father and grandfather. The other officers of the church are Clerk E. G. Fitts, Deacons M. E. Puller, W. S. Moore, E. G. Fitts W. H. Gravatt, M. F. Beazley, Superintendent of Sunday School W. F. Beazley; President of Ladies Aid Society, Miss Mignonette Broaddus, present membership [10].

prayer by Rev. Dr. H. L. Quarries, of Bowling Green.

The historical sketch of the church, giving all of its interesting history from the time of its organization to the pres-

keepers in a hospitable country can pro-vige. This was free to everybedy, and no one failed to enjoy the informality and the social feature of the dinner hour

or address delivered by him gives evi-mence of deep study, research and ability. He gave a complete history of the Bap-tists and of religious liberty, and his ad-dress was instructive and entertaining. After more music. Rev. Dr. J. S. Dill, rastor of the Baptist Church of this city, whose energy and ability as a preacher are well known, not only throughout the Stite, but beyond its limits, delivered a State, but beyond its limits, delivered a streng address on "The Baptist and Modern Misrions." Dr. Dill is an enthusiast or mission work, and in his own church has largely increased the interest and contributions in that line of religious work. He showed the work accomplished